Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 27 Nov 2020 until 23:59 on Saturday 28 Nov 2020

Forecast Issued on Friday 27 Nov 2020 at 04:30 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Low confidence in extent of low cloud and precipitation on Friday. High for the overall forecast for the weekend and early next week, but low confidence for amounts of low cloud.

Headline for Friday 27 Nov 2020: Cloudy, a little light rain or higher summit snow

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 27 Nov 2020

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG	FOG		FOG		
Fog	Fog	Light rain	Fog	Light rain	Light snow
Precipitation probability					
20%	30%	40%	40%	50%	60%

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Weather: Cloudy throughout the day with some patchy mostly light rain or higher summit sleet or wet snow. Some drier weather expected at times too. Rain or snow may become a little heavier in the evening with the snow line lowering to around 900 metres or so in the south and east of the region.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Low confidence. Extensive low cloud between 450 and 650 metres expected, best chance of any breaks likely northeast of Aviemore in the morning period.

Visibility: Rather hazy under cloud cover.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	20/28 SW	15/22 SW	10/15 SW	7/10 S	7/10 SE	13/17 S	18/24 S
900	21/27 SW	17/20 SW	11/15 SW	7/9 S	5/7 SE	10/13 S	16/21 S
600	14/20 SW	10/15 SW	6/10 SW	3/5 S	3/4 E	5/7 SW	7/11 S
300	2/11 SW	3/9 SW	2/7 SW	1/6 S	2/5 S	4/8 SW	4/11 SW
Glen	7/21 SW	5/16 SW	5/13 S	4/9 S	3/8 SW	4/11 S	5/14 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	-1/-7	-1/-7	-1/-6	-1/-5	-2/-5	-3/-9	-3/-10
900	3/-3	2/-3	2/-2	2/-1	2/-1	1/-3	0/-5
600	4/0	4/1	4/2	4/3	3/2	3/1	2/-0
300	4/3	4/3	5/4	5/4	4/4	4/3	4/2
Glen	5/1	5/3	6/4	6/5	5/4	5/2	4/1
Freezing Level*	1400m	1300m	1300m	1200m	1100m	900m	900m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Low cloud is expected to be the main feature today. Icy conditions on the high tops.

Forecast for Saturday 28 Nov 2020
Weather: Some fog banks possible in glens first thing, otherwise daylight hours will be dry and bright. Low cloud may extend across the south of the area after dark but low confidence in this aspect.

Maximum wind: Southerly 20 mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Low confidence at this stage, but only small amounts of low cloud expected.

Visibility: Mostly good, perhaps some haziness in the air

Temperature: **Glens:** Minus 2 rising to 7 Celsius
At 800m: Zero rising to plus 3 Celsius
Freezing level: 800 metres, rising to 1200 metres later in the day

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